

Dispensary Committees (Ireland) Bill.

MEMORANDUM.

Under the law as it at present stands (14 & 15 Vict. c. 68, s. 7) the property qualification of members of dispensary committees in Ireland, who are not elected or ex-officio guardians, is "thirty pounds at the least." In consequence of this high qualification some of the most eligible ratepayers in dispensary districts are disqualified from acting on their local committees. The property qualification for guardians has been reduced to eight pounds, and may be still further reduced by the Local Government Board for Ireland.

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TO

Amend the Law relating to the Qualification of Members
of Dispensary Committees in Ireland. A.D. 1894.

BE it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

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| 5 | 1. From and after the passing of this Act the Local Government Board for Ireland shall have power to fix the rating qualification of members of dispensary committees in Ireland. | Local Government Board to fix qualification. |
| 10 | 2. Section seven of the Act fourteenth and fifteenth Victoria, chapter sixty-eight, is hereby repealed in so far as it relates to the rating qualification of members of dispensary committees. | Repeal of part of 14 & 15 Vict. c. 68. s. 7. |
| | 3. This Act may be cited as the Dispensary Committees (Ireland) Act, 1894. | Short title. |

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*(Proposed and brought in by
Mr. Patrick Alexander McHugh, Mr. Funn,
Mr. Babin, Mr. Tully, and Mr. McIlvenna.)*

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